

**SONNENSCHN, NATH & ROSENTHAL LLP**

8000 Sears Tower  
233 S. Wacker Drive  
Chicago, IL 60606  
312/876-0200

**AMENDMENT**

Applicants: Atsuo Omaru et al.

Examiner: DOVE, Tracy Mae

Application No.: 09/810,962

Group Art Unit: 1745

Filed: March 16, 2001

Confirmation No.: 7248

Docket No.: 09792909-4809

Customer No.: 26263

Title: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY  
BATTERY AND METHOD OF PREPARING CARBON-  
BASED MATERIAL FOR NEGATIVE ELECTRODE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	( ) X 25.00 ( ) X 50.00	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	( ) X 100.00 ( ) X 200.00	0.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				( ) YES (X) NO	( ) \$180.00 ( ) \$360.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 0.00	

- ☒ Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated January 3, 2008 for 2 months so that the period for response is extended to June 3, 2008.
- ☒ A postal money order in the amount of \$ 460 is attached to cover the second-month extension fee.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Applicant's Attorneys' credit card in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee. Form 2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140: A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
- When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2606.

SONNENSCHN NATH &amp; ROSENTHAL LLP

DATE: June 3, 2008

BY Christopher P. Rauch (Reg. No. 45,034)  
Christopher P. Rauch

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited as first class mail in an enveloped addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 3, 2008.

Christopher P. Rauch  
Christopher P. Rauch

**SONNENSCHN, NATH & ROSENTHAL LLP**

8000 Sears Tower  
233 S. Wacker Drive  
Chicago, IL 60606  
312/876-0200

**AMENDMENT**

Applicants: Atsuo Omaru et al.

Application No.: 09/810,962

Filed: March 16, 2001

Docket No.: 09792909-4809

Examiner: DOVE, Tracy Mae

Group Art Unit: 1745

Confirmation No.: 7248

Customer No.: 26263

Title: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE SECONDARY  
BATTERY AND METHOD OF PREPARING CARBON-  
BASED MATERIAL FOR NEGATIVE ELECTRODE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	( ) X 25.00 ( ) X 50.00	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	( ) X 100.00 ( ) X 200.00	0.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				( ) YES (X) NO	( ) \$180.00 ( ) \$360.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 0.00	

- ☒ Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated January 3, 2008 for 2 months so that the period for response is extended to June 3, 2008.
- ☒ A postal money order in the amount of \$ 460 is attached to cover the second-month extension fee.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Applicant's Attorneys' credit card in the amount of \$        to cover the additional claim fee. Form 2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140: A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
- When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2606.

SONNENSCHN NATH &amp; ROSENTHAL LLP

DATE: June 3, 2008BY Christopher P. Rauch (Reg. No. 45,034)  
Christopher P. Rauch

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited as first class mail in an enveloped addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 3, 2008.

Christopher P. Rauch  
Christopher P. Rauch